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# PLANT AND BULB Novelties *and* Specialties

OFFERED BY

THE JESSAMINE GARDENS,  
JESSAMINE,  
PASCO CO., FLORIDA.

## TO THE TRADE.

THE stock offered in this List is specially adapted to the needs of the Catalogue Trade, and we cordially invite the attention of all interested. Sizes of bulbs and plants will be found particularly suitable for mailing purposes, while quality is all that could be desired.

We make a specialty of contract growing, and think we can make prices of much interest.

TERMS:—Five per cent. for cash with order, 90 days to approved accounts. Twenty-five at hundred rate, 250 at 1,000 rate. Prices are for goods f. o. b. our shipping point.

Our shipping facilities are excellent, being within reach of the two trunk lines of the State, both of which afford us connection with rival steamship lines. To all Eastern points we strongly recommend steamer service as prompt and cheap. The time to New York is but four days, to Boston five days, admitting of doing away with Express shipments to a large extent. To interior points we ship much by steamer to New York, turning over to Freight or Express lines at New York or Boston.

PACKING is done in the most careful manner to insure safe carriage and light weight.

We thank the Trade for all past favors and trust our efforts to please insure a fair share of future orders.

Yours very truly,

THE JESSAMINE GARDENS,  
PASCO CO. JESSAMINE, FLORIDA.

# Some Novelties and Specialties.

## FANCY-LEAVED CALADIUMS.

Among ornamental foliage plants there are none more beautiful in design or gorgeous in coloring than the Fancy-Leaved Caladiums. Well-grown plants are simply wonderful in the colorings and markings of the leaves, embracing every degree and shade that can be formed of pure white, deep green and intense crimson. The interest manifested in our offer of this article last year far exceeded our expectations, and the demand was much greater than our stock of the tubers.



FANCY CALADIUM.

trade. Price—Good 2½-inch pots, \$4.00 per 100.

We are this year growing an immense stock of tubers, and hope to be able to supply the demand. Too much cannot be said in praise of the Fancy-Leaved Caladium tuber as an article for Catalogue trade; the tubers are handled dry, require no damp packing material, and are sent out dry; they start into growth readily and grow off well in the hands of the amateur—in short, combining all the requisite qualities for an article to place in the hands of the masses. The very low price at which we offer the tubers admit of it being vigorously pushed by the Catalogue men.

We offer tubers one to two inches in diameter at \$5.50 per 100; \$48 per 1,000.

Tubers ¾ to 1 inch (not including the latter), \$3.75 per 100; \$30 per 1,000.

## CAMPHOR.

(*Cinnamomum Camphora*.)

The genuine Camphor of commerce; a beautiful evergreen, succeeding well in pots. Foliage, rich, shining green above, glaucous underneath; produces freely small, white flowers; fragrant. A valuable item of list of economic plants, and of much interest therefor. A good article for Catalogue

## HIBISCUS "SOUTHERN BEAUTY."

This is a wonderfully beautiful herbaceous Hibiscus, which seems to be entirely unknown to general cultivation. It forms pyramidal-shaped specimens, the lower branches slightly reclining, clothed with deeply five-cleft leaves, the segments toothed and crimson-margined. In the open ground it covers itself in late summer and fall with extremely handsome flowers, in color, deep crimson, shading deeper to the velvety throat, which is almost black. When pot-grown it begins to bloom in thumb pots and while not more than three inches high.

Price—Good 2½-inch pots, \$3.50 per 100.

## PHRYNIUM VARIEGATUM.

*The New Foliage Plant.*

This is one of the best novelties for the Catalogue trade that has ever come under our notice. It is a tuberous-rooted plant, the tubers of which may be kept dry for months, and will then start off vigorously. It is a good grower, succeeding well in either pots or open ground, thriving in sun or shade. The leaves are bright pale green, beautifully variegated with white and rich cream, the variegations being extremely diversified; indeed, in our beds of thousands of the plants it is almost impossible to find two leaves exactly alike. The plant is Canna-like in habit of growth, attains a height of from a foot or eighteen inches to three feet; the leaves are spreading blades of oblong-lanceolate form, from six to ten inches long and two to five inches broad, having the excellent habit of drooping just sufficient to display their full beauty of form and variegation. The plants show off to excellent advantage either singly or used with Palms, where the variegations afford most pleasing



PHRYNIUM VARIEGATUM.



contrasts. The tubers of this plant are small, ranging from one-quarter to one ounce in weight, rendering postage a small item. To any not yet acquainted with this plant we will be pleased to send samples.

We have a very large stock of this coming on for the season of 1900, and offer good tubers for December delivery at \$4 per 100, \$25 per 1,000.

### THUNBERGIA FRAGRANS.

A magnificent perennial species from India, of a slender, graceful, climbing habit—much like that of the annual sorts—with deep green, waxy leaves, which are cordate or hastate at the base, giving them a very distinct appearance. But its crowning feature is its flowers, each as large as a silver dollar, of the purest waxy whiteness, with a delicate lemon yellow spot in the centre or throat. Plants begin to flower when quite small, continue almost incessantly and in the greatest profusion. Equally valuable for open ground or pot culture.

Price—2½-inch pots, \$5.00 per 100.

### AMARYLLIS, CRINUMS AND SPIDER LILY.

	Per 100.
AMARYLLIS EQUESTRE—Good blooming bulbs.....	\$3 00
“ “ —Extra large.....	5 00
CRINUM AMERICANUM—Good blooming bulbs.....	3 50
“ FIMBRIATULUM—Fine blooming bulbs.....	4 00
“ CAPENSE ROSEA—Good blooming bulbs.....	3 50
“ “ —Extra large bulbs.....	5 00
“ ALBA—Same prices as Rosea.	
“ KIRKII—Three inches diameter bulbs.....	4 50
“ “ —Three to four inches diameter.....	6 00
“ SCABRUM—Extra large blooming bulbs.....	6 00
HARDY SPIDER LILY ( <i>Hymenocallis Galvestonensis</i> )—Fine.....	3 00

### PALMS AND FERNS.

CYCAS REVOLUTA (the Sago Palm)—Is a specialty with us, we handling large quantities. Stock is carefully grown, well-established, and our prices extremely low. We have all sizes, from five to fifty leaves, and offer on a basis of 15c. per leaf,

PHENIX FARINIFERA—Two and one-half-inch pots, fine.....	5 00
“ PALUDOSA, PUMILA and SYLVESTRIS—Same price and size as above.	
ADIANTUM CUNEATUM—Two and one-quarter inch, strong, beautiful stock.....	4 00
LYGODIUM SCANDENS—Beautiful climbing Fern, 2½-inch pots, strong.....	5 00
PTERIS CRETICA ALBO-LINEATA—Three-inch pots, fine.....	8 00
“ SERRULATA—Two and one-half-inch pots.....	4 00
SWORD FERN ( <i>Nephrolepis exaltata</i> )—Fine collected stock for growing on.	
\$15.00 per 1,000.....	2 00

### MISCELLANEOUS.

ANTIAGON LEPTOPUS (Rosa de Montana)—Good 2¼-inch pots.....	\$4 00
ARUNDO DONAX VARIEGATA—Strong field-grown clumps, splendid value.....	5 00
ARISTOLOCHIA CYMBIFERA—Rare, 2½-inch pots.....	5 00
“ ORNITHOCEPHALA—Strong grower.....	5 00
ASPARAGUS PLUMOSA NANUS—Strong 2½-inch.....	8 00
“ SPRENGERI—Good 2-inch.....	4 00
“ “ —Good 4-inch.....	12 00
BANANA ORINOCO—Nice mail tubers.....	4 00
“ “ —Strong bulbs for immediate effect.....	8 00
BUTTERFLY LILY—( <i>Hedychium coronarium</i> )—Strong roots.....	3 00

## MISCELLANEOUS.

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BUTTERFLY ORCHID—( <i>Epidendrum venosum</i> )—Strong clumps.....	5 00
CALADIUM ESCULENTUM—No. 1 and No. 2.....	\$2.00 and 4 00
CATTLEY GUAVAS, RED and YELLOW—Strong $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.....	3 50
“ “ “ “ “ —Strong 3-inch.....	5 00
CAPE JESSAMINE ( <i>Gardenia Florida</i> )—Good $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.....	4 00
IPOMŒA PANDURATA—Fine mail tubers. \$15.00 per 1,000.....	2 00
“ MORTONII—Handsome, graceful climber, good $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pots.....	3 50
HIBISCUS “SOUTHERN BEAUTY”—Good $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pots.....	3 50
LANTANA “NEW WEEPING”—Good $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch.....	3 50
MAGNOLIA GRANDIFLORA—Strong $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pots.....	6 00
NELUMBium LUTEUM, (American Lotus)—Good tubers.....	20 00
NYMPHŒA ODORATA GIGANTEA—Fine mail tubers.....	3 00
OPOPONAX ( <i>Acacia Farnesiana</i> )—Fine $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.....	4 00
PARROT'S FEATHER—Beautiful aquatic. \$5.00 per 1,000.....	1 00
POINCIANA, RED and YELLOW—Good $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch.....	4 00
PINEAPPLE, RED SPANISH—Good stock.....	3 00
QUEEN LILY—Nice tubers.....	3 00
SOLANUM SEAFORTHIANUM ( <i>Azureum</i> )—Good $2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch pots.....	3 50
TECOMA STANS (Yellow Elder)—Strong $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pots.....	5 00
THALIA DIVARICATA—Beautiful aquatic.....	4 00
THUNBERGIA ERECTA—Good $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch pots.....	3 50
“ FRAGRANS—Valuable sort, $2\frac{1}{4}$ -inch.....	5 00
WATER HYACINTH—Fine mail stuff. \$8 00 per 1,000.....	2 00
WATER POPPY—Fine mail stuff.....	3 50
ZAMIA INTEGRIFOLIA—Beautiful Cycad, 2 to 3 leaves, 10 to 15 inches long.....	10 00
“ “ —Beautiful Cycad, 4 to 6 leaves, 12 to 20 inches long.....	20 00
LEMONS and ORANGES—Budded on Trifoliata stock, standard sorts, valuable catalogue article. Grown on contract.....	20 00



MANDARIN ORANGE ON TRIFOLIATA STOCK.